

Containerized Cargo Permits – Compliance

Permits for containerized cargo going to or coming from the Port of Baltimore are provided free of charge by the Maryland State Highway Administration. It is important to remember that they are subject to the same sanctions as any other hauling permit for non-compliance with the terms and conditions of use. Suspension of a hauling permit can range from up to 30 days for two violations in a 6-month period to 120 days for more than 3 violations in a 12-month period. Containers are also subject to mandatory off-loading should a weight violation void their permit.

The following links have been provided for your review http://www.sha.state.md.us/Home.aspx or http://www.sha.state.md.us/Index.aspx?PageId=58.

For more information or to discuss a problem shipper, please contact the Maryland State Highway Motor Carrier Division at: 410-582-5734 or haulingpermits@sha.state.md.us.